

WILHELM LOSING LITTLE TIME IN ASSERTING HIS TENTATIVE AUTHORITY

(By Associated Press.)

GENEVA, Sept. 18.--The Lausanne Gazette learns that the German government has decided to issue a proclamation annexing to its empire all the territory it has invaded and now occupies in both France and Belgium.

FRANCE CLAIMS THAT IT HAS DRIVEN TURKISH FORCES FROM GALLIPOLI

(By Associated Press.)

PARIS, Sept. 18.--Destruction of Turkish positions on Gallipoli peninsula is announced by French war office.

TEUTONS PENETRATE FRONT OF RUSSIANS

Officially Announced That the Invaders Have Taken Several Advanced Positions

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Sept. 18.--The Russian advanced positions were taken in an attack on Drinsk Bridgehead and the Russian front has been penetrated at several points between Vilna and the Nieman river, according to an official announcement.

CHANGES MADE IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

To make room for the additional teachers employed and additional courses offered in the schools this year a number of changes and improvements have been made in the school plant.

The room in the old grade building last year occupied by the science department has been re-arranged to accommodate the kindergarten. A partition has been built across one end and the small, long room thus made has been cut into two parts--one equipped with shelving and cases to hold the kindergarten material, and the other fitted with lavatory, sanitary, and drinking fountain. With linoleum on the floor, new paper on the walls, newly painted woodwork, new sash curtains, and blackboards, from the old building on the hill, placed to suit the little people, this department is more pleasantly located than formerly and the little folks are more to themselves than was formerly possible.

The room in this same building last year occupied by the receiving grade has been nicely prepared for the cooking classes. The woodwork has been painted and enameled in white. The walls have been papered with a greenish-blue paper to match the blue painted ceiling. The cooking table-tops have been smoothed and sanded. Enough gas plates have been installed to give each girl of a class of twenty her individual stove. The sink has been connected with the city sewer. Text books for the cooking

classes and sewing-lesson tablets provided for all who take sewing. A small room has been partitioned off from the remaining room in this building to be used by the domestic art classes, as a cutting room and, when required, the same room can be equipped as a model dining room.

The remaining room, last year used by the normal training class, is nicely arranged to suit the manual training classes. On account of the size of the classes this year it has been necessary to purchase considerable additional equipment. The room still lacks benches and vises, more of which will be installed as soon as they can be obtained. A portion of the old front entrance will be used as an office for the manual training department. For the work in mechanical drawing the assembly room of the high school will be used.

In the main building, the science department of the high school has given up one room for the use of the classes in mathematics. In return for this, the room formerly used as a janitor's room has been equipped with science cases and work tables for the science classes to use in connection with the main science room.

The grade classes, formerly crowded into the small high school recitation rooms, have been moved to the larger rooms and the small rooms are being used for high school recitations as originally intended.

The teachers' rest room has been

BIG GERMAN ARMY GOING INTO TURKEY

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Sept. 18.--A Constantinople dispatch to the Overseas agency quotes Enver Pasha, the Turkish minister of war, as saying that a great German army is going to Turkey.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:

	1915	1914
5 a. m.	63	61
9 a. m.	71	65
12 noon	77	75
2 p. m.	79	77
Relative humidity at 2 p. m.		
Today, 23 per cent.		

INDUSTRIAL REVOLT FOLLOWS CONSCRIPTION

RAILWAY EMPLOYEES IN ENGLAND TO STRIKE IF DRAFT IS UNDERTAKEN

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.--The executive committee of the Amalgamated Union of Railway Servants unanimously endorsed the statement of J. H. Thomas in the house of commons Thursday that an industrial revolution would follow conscription and railway men would stop work.

WOMEN DISPENSERS IN MILITARY HOSPITALS

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.--Women are now employed by the war office as dispensers in military hospitals. They must of course be properly qualified pharmacists and they are engaged only for the duration of the war in order to allow the men pharmacists to join the expeditionary forces. The women are paid 6s (\$1.50) a day, Sundays included, and their hours are from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Those so far employed have given entire satisfaction, and on this account their numbers are being increased.

TANK STEAMER SUNK AND THREE MISSING

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.--The British tank ship Zeeferino has been submerged. Three of the crew of 42 are missing.

TORREON IS NOW FULLY EVACUATED

(By Associated Press.)

EL PASO, Sept. 18.--Reports state that the evacuation of Torreon is complete. Villa is now in Chihuahua with most of his army, according to today's arrivals at the border.

A THREATENING RISE

(By Associated Press.)

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 18.--A rise of 28 feet in 18 hours, bringing the water in the Colorado river to 68 feet, is causing apprehension throughout the entire valley. The dam is threatened, and more rain is expected.

ARABIA CASE HAD PRESAGE IN OTHER WAR

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.--The meat packers cite as a precedent the case of the Arabia in the Russo-Japanese war, in objecting to the British seizure of the meat cargoes, quoting John Hay, then secretary of state, that the technical ruling of a prize court cannot overrule the law and force the owners to prove that no part of a cargo may eventually reach the enemy. Unusually heavy exports to neutrals were made after the outbreak of the war because Germany had raked these countries dry of foodstuffs.

AUSTRIAN MOVEMENT AGAINST SERBS GROWS

(By Associated Press.)

NISH, Sept. 18.--The new Austrian movement against the Serbs is increasing in extent. The war office announces three attempts to invade Serbia, all of them being repulsed.

OPPOSES TAKING OVER MANNERS OF WEST

(By Associated Press.)

TOKIO, Sept. 18.--Dr. Baron K. Takagi, surgeon of the Japanese navy and member of the house of peers, does not agree with Mrs. Akiko Yosano, the noted writer, that the women of Japan should adopt the foreign style of dress in order that the race may become stronger both physically and intellectually. He advises the women to stay in their kimono, believing it more healthful and incidentally more beautiful. He is distinctively the enemy of the present day craze in Japan to take over the manners and customs of the west.

BAD NEWS RECEIVED BY THOMAS M'MANUS

Thomas McManus, secretary of Tonopah Miners' Union, No. 121, received a wire this morning telling of the death of his brother, Hugh McManus, at Excelsior Springs, Mo. The deceased resided at Greely Center, Neb. Mr. McManus recently returned from Nebraska, where he was called by his brother's illness. The deceased was aged 69 years.

GOLDFIELD TEAM GOES TO SAN FRANCISCO

The Goldfield mine rescue and first aid team, that will participate in the contest at San Francisco next week, passed through Tonopah this morning on its way to the coast. The following comprised the team: Joe Parody, Teddy Patnoe, Dan Harrington, Ernest Skewes, Dennis Viles, captain. Al Addis, Frank Cavanaugh and Ed Walsh were substitutes. Fred Kahun, patient. Dr. Turner accompanied the team.

TAG DAY FOR ELKS

The Tonopah Elks are selling tags today for the baseball game that will be played tomorrow by the Elks of Reno and their brethren of Carson City for the benefit of the state orphan's home. The money will be used to provide entertainment for the children, there being no appropriation for that use by the state.

JOHN KIRCHEN and wife leave tomorrow morning for San Francisco, where Mr. Kirchen will attend the mining congress. They will make the trip by auto.

ANGLO-FRENCH LOAN STILL HANGS FIRE

Foreigners Decline to Pay Over Straight Five Cent For the Accommodation

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.--The arranging of the Anglo-French loan is apparently hinging on the unwillingness of the Americans to the commission's contentions that munitions of war be paid for by the loan, the question of including Russia, and the interest rate. The foreigners are unwilling to pay over a straight 5 per cent.

STANFORD AND U. OF C. MAY SHAKE HANDS

RUPTURE OVER COLLEGE ATHLETICS MAY BE HEALED WITHOUT OPERATION

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.--The possibility of healing the athletic rupture between Stanford and California brightens on account of the football season, the alumni realizing the financial advantages of unity, and feel that the situation needs maturer consideration than the undergraduates possess. Football practice is progressing satisfactorily at all Pacific and intermountain schools. Stanford players are practicing rugby, while the University of California squads are working at the American game.

COMPANY NEARLY DOUBLES EARNINGS

CO-OPERATION PLAN INSTITUTED BY THE COLORADO FUEL AND IRON COMPANY

(By Associated Press.)

DENVER, Sept. 18.--The Colorado Fuel and Iron company reports net earnings of \$1,765,000, an increase of nearly \$700,000 in the last fiscal year. The report says that a plan of co-operation between the company and its employees for the adjustment of differences will be installed.

CATHOLIC BISHOP ANSWERS THE CALL

(By Associated Press.)

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 18.--Right Rev. Thomas J. Conaty, for many years the Catholic bishop in this diocese, is dead at Coronado. He has been in ill health for some time.

Bishop Conaty formerly was president of the Catholic university at Washington, D. C. He was 68 years old. He was considered a strong candidate for archbishop before the selection of Archbishop Hanna last June. He is widely known as an author on church topics, and was once editor of the Catholic School and Home, a magazine.

WILLIAM VOGT RUNS AMUCK AT BISMARCK

(By Associated Press.)

ABERDEEN, S. D., Sept. 18.--William Vogt of Bismarck entered the home of his former wife's mother today, and shot Mrs. Vogt, her mother and himself. All will die.

MRS. R. C. BARRETT and two sons, who had been visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holmes, for the past two months, departed this morning for Willows, Cal., where she will reside.

OPINION DIVIDED ON COUNT OKUMA'S MOVE

(By Associated Press.)

TOKIO, Sept. 18.--Opinion is divided in Japan as to the wisdom of Premier Count Okuma's move in cancelling his resignation and remaining in power with a reconstructed cabinet. Those who favor the count claim it was necessary in view of the fact that Japan is at war with Germany and Austria. A change of premier was undesirable during the war. Also, it was undesirable before the great accession ceremonies which will be held in November. Others believe the count's move a blow to constitutional government, as it showed interference from the genro and intervention from the emperor himself. Doubts are expressed as to the capacity of the new ministry to live long, especially as it is without the sustaining force offered by the presence of Baron Kato as foreign minister, who was regarded as the legal head of the former cabinet.

WORLD RECORD FOR MILE GOES SMASH

(By Associated Press.)

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 18.--Bob Hurman today broke the world's record for a mile in an automobile, making it in 45.73 seconds, cutting off .47 of a second from Disbrow's time.

BERLIN'S CONSTRUCTION KITCHENER'S ADDRESS

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Sept. 18.--The Tages Zeitung interprets Kitchener's speech complimenting the Turks as a disguised offer of a separate peace, "being unable to force the Dardanelles," says an Overseas agency report.

BUTLER THEATER

Exclusive Features

TONIGHT
..Double Bill..

BEATRIZ MICHELENA

in

"The Lily of Poverty Flat"

A World Film Production; also CHARLIE CHAPLIN in a Two-Reel Essanay Comedy "A WOMAN"

Tomorrow

"THE EAGLE'S NEST"

A Big Four Feature, and "THE GODDESS"

Matinee 1:30--Night 7:30

Admission 10-15 cents

JACK MILLER MEETS WITH SERIOUS MISHAP

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT WHILE TAKING GUN FROM EXPRESS CAR AT TECOPA

Jack Miller met with a distressing and serious accident Thursday evening while unloading express at Tecopa on the line of the Tonopah & Tidewater railroad, where he is station agent. One of the articles taken from the car was a loaded gun, which was discharged and Mr. Miller was shot in the leg below the knee, the shot fracturing the shinbone. He was taken on the train to Los Angeles for treatment. It is possible that amputation will be necessary.

Mr. Miller was for a long time connected with the Postal Telegraph and Western Union companies in this city. He took the Tecopa position about three months ago.

GOVERNMENT WEIGHS EVIDENCE WITH CARE

(By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Sept. 18.--The German government will consider carefully the Arabic evidence submitted by the United States, according to Foreign Minister von Jagow.

ELECTED PRESIDENT

(By Associated Press.)

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 18.--Richard F. Burgess of El Paso was today elected president of the International Irrigation congress.

LINOLEUM STOLEN FROM KITCHEN FLOOR

Some time ago complaints were made of unoccupied, but furnished houses being entered and valuables taken away, says the Chronicle. At that time a house on the Divide was entered and the thief made off with the kitchen sink. The latest is from a house on Washington street, where a jimmy was used to force the lock and the thief made off with linoleum from the kitchen floor, and also the brass water faucets. The back door was found open this morning. Serious trouble is in store for someone if these depredations do not cease.

TREATING PROHIBITED

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.--In order to control the drinking among soldiers, the military authorities have decided to prohibit treating within the city limits.

VILLA COMMANDER FUGITIVE

(By Associated Press.)

EL PASO, Sept. 18.--Authentic reports state that General Manuel Chao, the Villa commander of the Parral district, is fleeing for California, a fugitive from Villa's army.

WILL GIVE GRAND BALL

On the 12th of October the eighth annual ball will be given by the Tonopah Military band under the leadership of Prof. Carl. The place for giving the dance has not yet been determined upon.

ROBERT HART left this morning for Millers to visit his son.